

AN ACT

relating to the conveyance of certain state forest land in Cherokee County under the control of the board of regents of The Texas A&M University System.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. CONVEYANCE BY THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM.

The board of regents of The Texas A&M University System may convey the following described real property:

BEING 156.38 acres of land in the G. W. BRASHEAR SURVEY, ABSTRACT No. 114, CHEROKEE COUNTY, TEXAS, and being all of that Tract 2 called 158.27 acres from Texas State Hospitals & Special Schools to Texas Forest Service, Part of Texas Agricultural & Mechanical College System on September 3, 1963 and recorded in Volume 541, Page 557 of the Deed Records of Cherokee County, Texas (hereinafter shown as volume/page, DR, LR for Land Records, OR for Official Records), and called 156.60 acres in a ReSurvey made by Frank Speary, RPS No. 777, dated January 17, 1964, but not recorded: BEARINGS are based on the Texas Coordinate System of 1983, Texas Central Zone per GPS observations: All coordinates are U.S. Survey Feet, NAD83(2011) Epoch 2010.000 per Trimble VRS Network Solutions: At the point of beginning, the angle of convergence is 02°39'04" and the combined scale factor is 0.9999525: To get geodetic bearings, rotate the bearings recited herein, clockwise, by the angle of convergence: All distances are grid and

1 to get surface distances, divide the distances recited herein by  
2 the combined scale factor: w/cap = a plastic cap marked Affiliated  
3 Surveyors: SEE PLAT:

4 BEGINNING at a 2" iron pipe found in a fence for the Northeast  
5 comer of said 158.27 acres, the Southeast corner of that 80.00 acres  
6 from Richard & Scott Watson to Rodney Newman on September 21, 2018  
7 in 2456/559, OR, and in the West line of that Tract 1 called 57.3  
8 acres S&E 2.00 acres from Billy & Bessie Lankford to Billy & Bessie  
9 Lankford, Trustees on December 31, 2016 in 2360/336, OR, same  
10 having a state plane coordinate with a Northing of 10643943.982  
11 feet and an Easting of 3895719.774 feet, from which a 1/2" steel rod  
12 w/cap found for an angle point in the East line of said 80.00 acres  
13 and for the Northwest corner of said 57.3 acres is North 02°42'13"  
14 West, 78.10 feet;

15 THENCE South 03°18'46" East, with the East line of said 158.27  
16 acres and the West line of said 57.3 acres, 798.11 feet to a 5"x5"  
17 concrete monument found at a x-tie fence corner for the Southwest  
18 corner of said 57.3 acres and the Northwest corner of that 28 1/2  
19 acres from Billy & Bessie Lankford to Billy & Bessie Lankford,  
20 Trustees on February 16, 2001 in 1488/280, OR;

21 THENCE South 03°09'00" East, with the East line of said 158.27  
22 acres and the West line of said 28 1/2 acres, 501.68 feet to a 1/2"  
23 steel rod w/cap set in a pine stump hole for an angle point in the  
24 East line of said 158.87 acres, the Southwest corner of said 28 1/2  
25 acres and the Northwest corner of that 32 1/2 acres from Billy &  
26 Bessie Lankford to Billy & Bessie Lankford, Trustees on February  
27 16, 2001 in 1488/274, OR from which a fence corner is South 57°56'

1 West, 1.70 feet;

2           THENCE South 03°09'37" East, with the East line of said 158.27  
3 acres and the West line of said 32 1/2 acres in 1488/274, OR, and the  
4 West line of that 32 1/2 acres from Billy & Bessie Lankford to Billy  
5 & Bessie Lankford, Trustees on February 16, 2001 in 1488/277, OR,  
6 1389.58 feet to a 2" iron pipe with a pine knot inside and a nail in  
7 the top of said pine knot for the Southeast corner of said 158.27  
8 acres, the Southwest corner of said 32 1/2 acres in 1488/277, OR,  
9 and in the North line of that tract for 1/2 undivided interest in  
10 68.00 & 76.328 acres in Family Settlement Agreement from Phillip  
11 Power et al to Phillip Power on June 21, 2005 in 1727/408, OR, with a  
12 reference description for 150 acres from Gertrude Russell to  
13 Winston Power et ux on May 12, 1975 in 685/614, DR;

14           THENCE South 87°12'02" West, with the South line of said  
15 158.27 acres, passing the Northwest corner of said 150 acres and the  
16 most Northerly Northeast corner of that 25 acres from Stacy  
17 Southerland to Robert & Wendy Boudreau on December 14, 2011 in  
18 2093/636, OR, continuing in all 2569.35 feet to a 1/2" steel rod  
19 w/cap set for the Southwest corner of said 158.27 acres, the  
20 Northwest corner of said 25 acres and In the occupied East line of  
21 that Tract 2 called 36 acres from Edna Dickson to Carnie Wilkinson,  
22 Jr. et ux on February 23, 1980 in 790/199, DR, with a reference  
23 description in 107/582, DR, from which the center of a 21" Sweet Gum  
24 fence corner (no marks) is South 82°30' East, 4.3 feet;

25           THENCE North 02°38'58" West, with the West line of said 158.27  
26 acres, passing the Northeast comer of said 36 acres and the  
27 Southeast corner of that Tract 2 called 15 acres from Beverly

1 Parsons to Brenda Thigpen on September 7, 2017 in 2402/106, OR, with  
2 a reference description in 84/376, DR, at 2593.66 feet pass a 1/2"  
3 iron pipe at a 16" fence corner found for the Northeast corner of  
4 said 15 acres and the Southeast corner of that Tract 4 called 4.65  
5 acres in 2402/106, OR, continuing in all 2647.05 feet to an axle  
6 found in a 2" iron pipe at a x-tie fence corner by a large pointed  
7 rock for the Northwest corner of said 158.27 acres and the Southwest  
8 corner of said 80.00 acres;

9 THENCE with the common lines of said 80.00 acres and said  
10 158.27 acres as follows:

11 North 86°38'39" East, 1255.58 feet to an axle found, from  
12 which found "X" to the center on an 18" Post Oak South 38° West, 4.0  
13 feet;

14 North 85°51'47" East, 1288.28 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING,  
15 and containing within these calls, 156.36 acres of land. This tract  
16 has no access to a public road.

17 SECTION 2. INTERESTS CONVEYED. The conveyance authorized  
18 by this Act shall be of fee title to the surface and is exclusive of  
19 all mineral rights. All instruments of conveyance shall be in a  
20 form acceptable to The Texas A&M University System.

21 SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect  
22 immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members  
23 elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas  
24 Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for  
25 immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2963 was passed by the House on April 17, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 141, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2963 was passed by the Senate on May 15, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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Governor